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Don't be 'spooked' by the myths of the COVID-19 vaccine.

Are you wondering whether the COVID-19 vaccine is right for you? You have likely heard information about the vaccine that can be concerning. Let's start by busting those myths and get the facts.

Myths and Facts about COVID-19 Vaccines | CDC

Is age a concern with the vaccine? We know the risk of illness, disease complications, and death from COVID-19 increases with age. This makes it important for you to become educated and make a decision based on facts.

COVID-19 Vaccines for Older Adults | CDC

Other items to note:

- COVID-19 vaccines are effective at preventing severe illness, hospitalization, and death if infected with the virus.
- Those vaccinated with the COVID-19 vaccine are less likely to get COVID-19 and spread it to others.
- The COVID-19 vaccine is offered to you at no cost and regardless of where you live.
- The science behind the vaccine is NOT experimental or new.
- You can call 208-533-3223 to schedule a COVID-19 vaccination appointment.
- More great information can be found on our website and on our Facebook page. (<u>www.EIPH.Idaho.gov</u>)



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